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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1-136(a), applicants hereby petition for a two (2) month extension of time for replying to the January 15, 2002, Notice to File Corrected Application Papers. With the extension, the present papers are due on or before May 15, 2002.

A check for \$200.00 is enclosed to cover the fee under 37 CFR §1.17(a)(2). The Examiner is authorized to charge any additional fees due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, reference no.15966-546 CON S22 (CURA-46 CON S22). A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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